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ADM RAL DEWEY AT HOME.

Olympia Drops Anchor Off Tompkinsville Today.

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the Atlantic.

NEW YORK A BLAZE OF COLOR

Work for the Reception Committee Made by His Arrival Ahead of Schedule Time-Plans Are Magnificent -Large Attendance Certain.

New York, Sept. 26 .- Much to the surprise of everyone in the city the Clympia, with Admiral Dewey on board, arrived off the Sandy Hook lightship at 5:55 this morning. There was a heavy mist on the sea, and at



ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY.

first the marine observers were inclined to think the vessel sighted might be Rear Admiral Howison's flagship, the Chicago, hardly believing Admiral Dewey would arrive two days ahead of time. The doubt was soon cleared away, however, and as passing vessels recognized the flagship from Manila bay there was a continuous blowing of whistles in salute. The Olympia sailed from Gibraltar Sept, 10.

One of the first large vessels to sight the Olympia was the passenger steamer Sandy Hook of the Sandy Hook line, which left Atlantic Highlands shortly after 7 o'clock for her New York dock. Just as she got well under way a war vessel was seen through the fog, and passengers and crew, headed by the Sandy Hook's captain, gathered at the rail to read the newcomer's name. To get near enough to do this the Sandy directly for the Olympia, blowing her whistle in salute as she did so. As soon as the name was made out the Sandy Hook's passengers cheered with ferent is this magnificent reception to all their might, and in a few moments an answering cheer came over the water from the warship's sailors, many of whom were gathered on deck.

The flagship came up to the lower bay and anchored inside Sandy Hook. As soon as the anchor was dropped an orderly was sent ashore with dispatches from the admiral and other officers. He said the ship had had a pleasant trip across the Atlantic and that all on board were well and glad to be home again.

The Olympia's crew was put to work immediately cleaning ship. Many small vessels are sailing around her and their number is being augmented constantly.

The admiral's early arrival was a matter of great concern to the city authorit.es who are arranging for New York's official welcome. Secretary Foster of the reception committee went to the city hall early and at once issued a call for a special meeting of the committee. Mr. Foster said he could not forecast the committee's action, but he thought it probable the committee would go down to the Olym-

pia at once and meet the admiral. Mayor Van Wyck hurried to his office where he found the following tele-

"Olympia arrived this morning. Will go to Tompkinsville tomorrow,

"GEORGE DEWEY." The mayor advised the calling together of all the city's committees, and telegrams were sent out calling on the members of the plan and scope committee and the various sub-committees to meet as quickly as possible at the city hall. St. Clair McKelway, the chairman of the sub-committee of the reception committee, was the first to arrive. Mr. McKelway thought the reception committee would wait on Admiral Dewey tomorrow instead of on Thursday, and that the admiral would remain at the anchorage of Tompkinsville until Friday. Then the regular reception would take place Friday and Saturday, according to the city's program.

The Sandy Hook steamer Monmouth passed the Cympia early this morning and those on board of her were the first to see Admiral Dewey. One of the Monmouth's passengers said:

"We saw Admiral Dewey quite plainly. He stood alone on the quarterdeck of the warship, Fifteen feet behind him stood eight of his officers in uniform. The admiral alone of all men on board ship acknowledged the cheers of the passengers and crew of the Mon-

mouth. He raised his hat continually bowing and smiling. The ship looked in fine trim, considering her long voyage, but the exterior of her hull was seamed with rusty streaks."

Today for the first time in many years an admiral's salute was fired in New York bay. Fort Hancock saluted with seventeen guns when the Olympia passed, coming in.

There was no demonstration of an official character in Rear Admiral Sampson's fleet off Tompkinsville when the news of the Olympia's arrival was received. Signals announcing Dewey's arrival were hoisted, and there was considerable cheering, which, al-Remarkably Fast Voyage Across though a violation of the strict rules and regulations of the navy, was not officially noticed by the commanding officers.

It had been planned that one of the fleet, probably the Texas, would go down to the Hook and escort the admiral's flagship to her anchorage inside the Hook, but, of course, this plan had to be abandoned. There will be no action taken by Rear Admiral Sampson in the matter of saluting Admiral Dewey until the Olymp'a reaches the upper bay tomorrow.

When the Olympia reaches the upper bay Admiral Dewey will find that the quarantine station will be decorated with 1,500 red, white and blue electric lights. On the terrace are letters nine feet high, spelling "Welcome home." They are set against a natural background of green, and show white in the day time and will be lighted with electricity at night.

When the Olympia, on the day of the Dewey naval parade, rounds the stake boat in North river, the school ship St. Mary's, the boys wearing their white working suits, will man the yards in the saluting custom which obtained when Dewey was a junior officer. This, it is believed, will recall pleasant memories to the admiral and will make a display that is novel in these days of steel ships with masts that are only used for military pur-

Greater New York is rapidly giving up every other consideration save that of Admiral Dewey. From center to circumference the city is bright with flags. The principal thoroughfares are league-long flames lit by myriads of patriotic hands. Fifth avenue, the modern Appian way, along which there pours the city's tide of wealth, flashes with color from end to end.

With a patriotism not less true or hearts less loyal the people of the tenements flutter their bunting, faded and bedraggled though it be, but signifying everything in the way of genuine enthusiasm.

Altogether the present week will witness a demonstration of national esteem such as this country never saw before. Six times within the memory of living man this city has been draped in honor of its heroes. These six occasions have been occasions of national mourning. Adams, Monroe, Clay, Lincoln, Garfield and Grant form this galaxy of great dead. On that sad spring day fourteen years ago, when the cortege of the hero of Appomatox rolled up Broadway at the head of his old regiments, the great thoroughfare was black-deeply and funerally black -like the bed of a Styx gone iry. Here Hook changed her course and headed and there were flashes of color, here and there a blending of flags and crape, but the general tone was that of a deep and unutterable woe. How alfbe tendered to a living hero.

> In all the ocean of bunting between the Battery and the Bronx there is no hint of sadness. The mothers and sisters and sweethearts and wives of the dead men in Cuba and Luzon are among those who will cheer the re-

One million visitors are already here, and every incoming train on every road is crowded with passengers. It is expected that on parade day 2,000,-000 spectators will be gathered along the line of march. It will be the largest crowd ever gathered together in the history of the country.

Gen. Howard has announced that the following organizations of veterans will be in his division: The Duryes zouaves, the One Hundred and Sixtyfifth New York regiment, the Eleventh regiment, Veteran association, the "Old Fighting Fifth" New York heavy artillery, the First regiment of mounted veterans and 250 members of the New York Sons of Veterans.

The reception committee has established the final order of precedence. Admiral Schley will be in a carriage back with the visitors, Admiral Sampson will come well up to the head of the naval officers' section, a great distance ahead of Schley, who is to be preceded by the naval officers, Gen. Miles, Gen. Merritt and others,

Washington, Sept. 26.—The following has been received at the navy depart-

"Sandy Hook, N. J., Sept. 26. Sec retary Navy, Washington:-Olympia will go to Tompkinsville tomorrow.

Tompkinsville is the anchorage for naval vessels off Staten island.

Volunteers Will Soon Be Home. San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 26.-The muster rolls of the Thirteenth Minnesota regiment have all been turned in. Routine work will be entirely completed in two or three days, and the volunteers will have nothing to do but await their discharge a week from today. The South Dakota regiment will be mustered out a week from Thursday. The company clerks have their papers almost finished.

The North Dakotans left for home this afternoon on a special train provided by the state.

The Idaho volunteers are already speeding homeward, having left last night on a special train provided at

September

The fields and meadows paling Lie neath the hazy sky; The thistle-down is sailing By zephyrs slowly by. The stalks of stubble bleaching Beneath September's sun, Seem silently now teaching Of rest when labor's done."

The golden rod is yellow. The corn is turning brown; The trees in apple orchards With fruit are bending down; The gentian's bluest fringes Are curling in the sun: In dusty pods the milkweed Its hidden slik has spur

The sedges flaunt their harvest. In every meadow nook, And asters by the brookside Make asters in the brook. From dewey lanes at morning The grape's sweet odors rise; At noon the roadsides flutter

With yellow butterflies.

By all these lovely tokens, September days are here. With summer's best of weather And automn's best of cheer.

-YOUTH'S COMPANION.

October.

y, thou art welcome, heaven's delicious breath ! When woods begin to wear the crimson leaf, And suns grow meek, and the meek suns

grow brief. and the year smiles as it draws near its death Wind of the sunny South: Oh, still delay in the gay woods and in the golden air, Like to a good old age released from care,

lourneying, in long serenity, away. n such a bright, late quiet, would that I Might wear out life like thee, 'mid bowers

and brooks, And, dearer yet, the sunshine of kind looks And music of kind voices ever nigh; And when my last sand twinkled in the glass, Pass silently from men, as thou dost pass.
—William Cullen Bryant.

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I must say, bowever, that the sensa-

a mile of deep water if it need be.

I must say, however, that the sensation of sitting on the back of a swimming elephant is the reverse of pleas ant; you fancy yourself on an entrmous barrel which may roll round at any moment and take you under.

Having crossed the stream, they must climb to the top of the bank, and this is the most peculiar operation of all.

Down on their knees they go, and with trunk and tusks dig out a foothold for themselves, and so, step by step, work their way to the top, their position being something like that of a fly climbing up a wall. As they reach the top they give a lurch sideways, and shoot one leg straight over the bank, then give a lurch to the other side and shoot out the other leg in the same way, which brings them into the position of a boy hanging by his arms from the edge of a root. Then they come to their knees and finally with a great through the provaled and resolution and moved their adoption; motion and moved the list doption; motion prevalled; ayes 8, nays 0.

Whereas, A Lee Williams and James A Hayt, who are tamend as trustees, said mortgage its of the cd, of Owosso in a certain mortgage given by the Shiawassee County Agricultural Association to the said parter bare to mortgage of said mortgage, on pages 388 and 309, on the list day of April A. D. 1888, the said mortgage, and solo of Solo.0. the said mortgage having been taken by said city in the name of said mortgage, instructed the mayor and city silen by virtue of said mortgage, instructed the mayor and city city to execute a discharge of said mortgage; therefore Resolved, by the common council of the city of Owosso on the said protage and solo. The said mortgage of the city of Owosso on a differ the said Shiawassee County Agricultural Association, and the said mortgage having been taken by said the ownsos of said mortgage, instructed the mayor and city to execute a discharge of said mortgage, instructed the mayor and city to execute a discharge of said mortgage its control of the city of Owosso on a differenc edge of a root. Then they come to their knees, and finally, with a great thon prevailed; syes 8, nays 0. scramble and kicking of their hind To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council legs, bring themselves to level ground again.-Ex.



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Flag Days for October

October 3, 1800, Geo. Bancroft born. October 12, 1492, Discovery of Ameri-

October 13, 1814, Battle of Fort Mc-

Henry, ("Star Spangled Banner.") October 16, 1758, Noah Webster born. October 17, 1777, Burgoyne's Surren-

October 19, 1735, John Adams born. October 19, 1781, Surrender of Corn-

October 21, 1845, Will Carleton

Still More Counterfeiting.

The Secret pervice has unearthed another band of counterfeiters and secured a large quantity of bogus bills, which are so cleverly executed that the average person would never suspect them of being spurious. Things of great value are always selected by counterfeiters for imitation notably the selected counterfeiters for imitation notably the cele-brated Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which has many imitators but no equals for indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, nervous-ness and general debility. The Bitters set things right in the stomach, and when the stomach is in good order it makes good blood and plenty of it. In this manner the Bitters get at the seat of strength and vitality, and restore vigor to the weak and de-biliated. Beware of counterfelts when buying.

Common Council.

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Common Council Chamber.

Owosso, Mich., Sept. 25, 1899.
Regular meeting of common council with the president, James W. Jordan, presiding.

Aldermen present at roll call, Pierpont, McLean, Curry, Jordan, Palmer, Waish, and Washburn.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved as read.

The following claims and accounts were presented and upon motion were referred to the committee on claims and accounts.

From Contingent Fund—Geo. Wiggins 10 00, Jas. Hilt 730, Jas. Doyle 7 50, J. D. Royce 1 25.

Police Fund—A. J. Burke 1 60.

Fire Dept. Fund—John Ashford, 16 00, A. J. Burke 16 00.

From Highway Fund—C. Sherman 3 75, G. E. Croft 3 12, E.S. Murphy 5 12, Hugh Douglass 5 19, H. Tucker 6 37, S. W. Denyes 4 37, J. Morlarity 4 12, S. O. Matthewson 5 75, J. F. Martin 63c, L. B. Shyder 6 37, W. Marvin 5 50, Jas. Odeli 10 25, Geo. H. Drehef 9 00, Wilbur VanDoren 4 00, H. Ward 9 50, Ed Jewell 10 25, W. Brendahl 10 25, A. Perkins 10 25, Thos. Dynes 2 50, Geo. H. Wiggins 11 80, Frank Manck 5 12, Chas Balley 12 75, C. H. Allen 3 25, T. Foulton 6 25, Ed Dye 6 37, J. Denyes 5 12, A. W. Holmes 62 64, Warren Pierpont 89 35, John S. Porter 116 50, M. C. R. R. Co. 30 00, Frank Manning 1 20, Johnson & Hurd 10 00, Sidewalk Fund—J. M. Wood 59 62, S. Hughes 3 52, D. Burhans 6 20, A. W. Holmes 16 66, E. Allingham 9 00.

From Water Works Fund—H. Robbins & Sons 407, same 19 28, A. F. Hollis, 18 30, Owosso Tele-

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Paving Co. 28 23, same 22 90.

The city attorney submitted the following report which upon motion was received and placed on file; motion prevailed.

In the matter of Davies sewer contractor's bond which has been referred to me to detesmine the legality, do report that said bond is in due form of law so far as it goes, but does not cover but a small portion of the matters mentioned and called for in his contract with said city.

city.

The committee on claims and accounts reported favorably on accounts as above presented. Unanimous consent being given the same were allowed and the clerk was directed to draw orders for the same as the various funds would allow; ayes 8, nays 6.

Aid. Pierpont offered the following resolution and moved its adoption; motion prevailed.

Resolved that the bond of John C. Davies on sewer contract be not accepted and that city attorney's report be referred to Board of Public Works. Also that said board be instructed to rocure the proper bonds in accordance with contract.

contract.
Ald Copas presented the following resolution and moved its doption; motion prevailed; ayes 8, nays 0.

of the City of Owosso:

Gentlemen—Your committee on streets and sidewalks do hereby most respectfully report and recommend to this common council that it is a necessary public improvement that certain sidewalks in the city of Owosso be repaired and made safe for public travel, and that certain sidewalks be built in said city of Owosso on certain streets in said city, and in front of certain lands abutting on said street, as follows, to-wit:

A. G. Williams, lot 12 bik 27, city of Owesso. C. S. & B.O. Williams, south 22 ft of lot 4 bik 21, Mrs. H. N. Williams, n 44 ft of lot 5 bik 22, city of Owosso. Jennie L. Hutchins, center 22 ft of lot 14 blk 27,

city of Owosso.

Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of Owosso do determine and ordain that it is a necessary public improvement that a sidewalk be repaired, built, laid out and constructed on the different streets in accordance with the report of the example on the sidewalks of said city of Owosso, which said report is hereto attached and made a part of this resolution. The same to be built and constructed according to the terms and provisions of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance to provide for the building and rebuilding of sidewalks and crosswalks in the city of Owosso," approved Oct, 13, 1897. And said walks repaired according to the terms and provisions of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance providing for the repairing of sidewalks and the assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof, within the city of Owosso, approved Sept. 1, 1891.

Dated 9-25-99.

Committee on Street Aid. Washburn offered the following resolution and moved its adoption; motion prevailed.

Resolved by the common council of the city of Owosso that the Board of Public Works be and are hereby instructed to move the water trough from West Main street near the Miller House to the corner of Chipman and Scewart streets. Ald Copas presented the following resolution and moved its adoption; motion prevailed; ayes Pierpont, Copas. McLean, Curry, Jordan, Paim-er, and Washburn—7; nays, Waish—1.

er, and Washburn—7; hays, Wash—1.

Resolved, by the common council that the mayor, president and two members appointed by the chair be instructed to attend the L.O. M. M. meeting, and that the city clerk be and is hereby instructed to draw an order in favor of the mayor for the amount of the expense of the trip on their return.

The president appointed as such committee Airls. Copas and McLean.
Upon motion council adjourned to Tuesday evening, Oct. 8, 399.
Jours L. Ann. City Cork. JOHN L. ASH, City Clerk.

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